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AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT TO SENATE RESOLUTION 53 BY STRIKING OUT "JANUARY 31, 1952" WHEREVER IT APPEARS IN SUCH SECTION AND INSERTING IN LIEU THEREOF "MARCH 31, 1952" AND PROVIDING THAT THE LIMIT OF EXPENDITURES UNDER SUCH RESOLUTION IS HEREBY INCREASED BY $225,000

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Mr. JOHNSTON of South Carolina, from the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany S. Res. 206]

The Committee on Post Office and Civil Service, to whom was referred the resolution (S. Res. 206) to authorize the employment of additional temporary staff personnel and to extend the expiration date to March 31, 1952, report favorably thereon without amendment and recommend that the resolution do pass.

STATEMENT

Subsequent to the passage of Senate Resolution 53, Eighty-second Congress, agreed to February 19, 1951 (authorizing an investigation of the personnel needs and practices of the various governmental departments and agencies), the Subcommittee on Federal Manpower Policies was formed. Such clerical, technical, and other assistants as could be employed under the limited appropriation were employed and a preliminary study and survey were initiated. It has been found that the time limit of Senate Resolution 53 and the appropriation provided therein will not be sufficient to allow the subcommittee to properly perform its designated functions.

It is the feeling of the Senate Committee on Post Office and Civil Service that the resolution (S. Res. 53) should be amended to provide that the time limit be extended to March 31, 1952, and that an additional appropriation of $225,000 be authorized.

It should be pointed out that although the resolution extends the authority of this subcommittee for a period of 3 months, the subcommittee must have available for its use immediately the additional $225,000 in order to expand its staff sufficiently to complete its work during the next 6 months.

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